Council Proceedings.

Council Chamber, Oct. 21st, 1878.

The Board of Aldermen met at the usual hour. Present His Worship the Mayor, Aldermen Campbell, Pritchard, Smyth, Murray, Thompson, Powell, Stringer, Keenleyside, Edleston, Brown, Glass, Williams, Vining, Egan, J. R. Pell, and Thos. Peel.

The minutes of last meeting were read and signed by His Worship the Mayor.

The following communications were received:—

From Daniel O'Gorman, for reduction of license fee for the current year, being one half application. Granted.

From the Governor General's Secretary, acknowledging the receipt of the illuminated address. Fyled.

From Mr. William M. Moore, for permission to remove the railing from boulevards not paid for by parties opposite to same. Referred to the Board of Works.

From Malcolm McIntosh, with account for sodding for $15. Referred to the Board of Works.

Ald. Pritchard moved, seconded by Ald. Campbell, that the communication of Mr. Moore be fyled.

Ald. Stringer moved in amendment, seconded by Ald. Skinner, that the matter be referred to the Board of Works. Carried.

Ald. Egan submitted the report of the Committee of Fire, Water and Gas, as follows:—

The petition of D. Epps was granted on conditions supplied to the chairman.

The petition of W. Westlake was granted.

The petition of H. Waterman, no action.

The petition of John Shopland was granted.

The petition of William Hand was fyled.

Your committee would recommend that no action be taken by the Council in erecting additional lamps during the current year.

The following accounts passed, and your committee recommend that the same be paid, less lamps not lighted as per police report.

Gas account for quarter ending 30th September......	$1,619.44
Winnicott & Cuppinger, horse shoeing................	60.74
Stevens, Turner & Burns, repair to fire alarm........	23.73
W. Robinson & Co., chemicals	57.16
Hunt Bros., fodder........	36.50
Mrs. Seddons, mouldings....	6.85
Mrs. Hayes, washing half year	25.00
Thos. Brown, repairs........	2.00
H. Davis & Son, repair of clock..................	6.00
Jas. Wright & Co., hardware	31.06
Alex. Anderson, Toronto, repairs to fire alarm.......	49.25
Walter Riddell, sundries....	6.80
A. & J. G. McIntosh & Co., bedding................	21.60
H. Beecher................	5.00
Gatta Percha Rubber Co., New York............	60.50
Frederick Heaver, valves, &c.	25.00
T. Wastie, sundries.........	2.75
	$2,039.38

Respectfully submitted. James Egan, Chairman.

On motion the report was received, considered seriatim and adopted.

Ald. Thompson submitted the report of the Market Committee as follows:

Your Committee pursuant to resolution of Council, have carefully examined the city for a suitable situation for a permanent wood market, would strongly recommend that the present site be continued, it being the most central, and of easy access to the citizens, and that the City Engineer be directed to have the same gravelled with as little delay as possible, the cost not to exceed one hundred dollars. Respectfully submitted. A. K. Thompson, Chairman.